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RESTRICTION RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2005, Applicants hereby elect to prosecute the invention in Group IV, comprising claim 27 with traverse in this application.

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